

**REMARKS**

Claims 1-13 are pending in the present application. The Office Action has been considered. Favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested.

Claims 10-13 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph. Applicant has amended claim 10 to overcome this rejection. Withdrawal of this rejection is respectfully requested.

Applicant notes with appreciation the indication that claims 1-9 are allowable over the prior art of record.

The Title, Abstract and Disclosure were objected to due to the listed informalities. Applicant has amended the title to correct these defects. Withdrawal of the objections is respectfully requested.

In view of the above amendment and remarks, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections of record. Applicant submits that the application is in condition for allowance and early notice to the effect is most earnestly solicited.

If the Examiner has any questions, he is invited to contact the undersigned at 202-628-5197.

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Reply to Office action of October 9, 2007

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Respectfully submitted,

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